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Second Semester, M. Tech - Civil Engineering (MCAD)

Semester End Examination; June - 2016

Analysis of Plates

Time: 3 hrs

Max. Marks: 100

Note: i) Answer **FIVE** full questions, selecting **ONE** full question from each unit.
ii) Assume missing data if any.

UNIT - I

- 1 a. Derive the basic differential equation for bending of long rectangular plate into a cylindrical surface under the action of constant lateral loading. 14
- b. Clearly explain the assumptions made in the theory of thin plates bringing out their significance. 6
2. Derive an expression for the slope and deflection of a circular plate with circular hole at the centre. 20

UNIT - II

3. A simply supported rectangular plate of constant thickness is subjected to a lateral load of intensity which linearly varies from zero along one edge to a maximum at the opposite edge; there being no variation along the perpendicular direction. Derive an expression using the Navier's method for the deflection surface of the plate under such a loading condition. Also find maximum Deflection. 20
4. Derive the following differential equation for the deflection surface of the laterally loaded rectangular plate with usual notation, 20

$$\frac{\partial^4 w}{\partial x^4} + 2 \frac{\partial^4 w}{\partial x^2 \partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^4 w}{\partial y^4} = \frac{q}{D}$$

UNIT - III

5. A simply supported rectangular plate ($a \times 2a$) is subjected to a hydrostatic pressure loading with the intensity being zero at $y = 0$ and ' q_0 ' at $y = b$. Derive the expression for the deflection. Adopt Levy's method. 20
6. Simply supported rectangular plate is subjected to uniformly distributed load of intensity q_0 per unit area. Obtain the equation for deflection surface and calculate the maximum deflection of a square plate adopt Levi's approach. 20

UNIT - IV

7. Derive an expression for the deflection of a circular plate with clamped edges and loaded with UDL of intensity ' q ' over the entire surface. Find the maximum Deflection, radial and circumferential moments. 20

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8. A simply supported rectangular plate ($a \times 2a$) is loaded uniformly. Obtain the solution for large deflection. Obtain same for a square plate. 20

UNIT - V

9. For a simply supported square plate made of isotropic material, determine the deflection and moments at the centre using finite difference method. The plate is of size 6 x 6 m subjected to a pressure of 6 kN/m² including its self weight. The thickness of the plate is 120 mm. 20

Assume $E = 2 \times 10^7$ kN/m² and $\mu = 0.15$.

10. For a square plate made of isotropic material, determine the deflection and moments at the centre using finite difference method. The plate is of size 5 x 5 m subjected to a pressure of 4.5 kN/m² excluding its self weight. The thickness of the plate is 100 mm. 20

Assume $E = 2 \times 10^7$ kN/m² and $\mu = 0.14$. All the edges are simply supported.

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